





TREATMENT PROTOCOL: SYNCOPE *

1. Basic airway
2. Spinal immobilization prn
3. Pulse oximetry
4. Oxygen prn
5. Advanced airway prn
6. If shock, treat by Ref. No. 1246, Non-Traumatic Hypotension Treatment Protocol
7. Cardiac monitor: document rhythm attach ECG strip if dysrhythmia identified
12-lead ECG if suspected cardiac origin
8. Venous access prn
9. Perform blood glucose test; if blood glucose is less than 60mg/dl:
 Consider oral glucose preparation if patient is awake and alert
 Dextrose 10% 250mL IV
 Infuse 125mL, and reassess
 If positive response, stop infusion
 If minimal or no response, infuse the remaining 125mL for a total of 250mL
  **Pediatric: Dextrose 10% per Color Code Drug Doses LA County Kids**
 1mL/kg increments up to 5mL/kg
 If unable to obtain venous access:
 Glucagon 1mg IM
  **Pediatric: Glucagon per Color Code Drug Doses LA County Kids**
 0.5mg (0.5mL) IM < 1year
 1mg (1mL) IM 1 year or older
10. If cardiac dysrhythmia, treat by Ref. No. 1212, Symptomatic Bradycardia or Ref. No. 1214, Tachycardia with Pulses
11. **CONTINUE SFTP or BASE CONTACT**
12. If blood glucose remains less than 60mg/dl:
 Dextrose 10% 250mL IV
 Infuse 125mL, and reassess
 If positive response, stop infusion
 If minimal or no response, infuse the remaining 125mL for a total of 250mL
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